

### Remarks

In response to the outstanding Restriction Requirement referenced above, Applicants herein elect Group II (Claims 34 through 56).

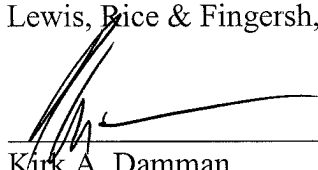
The election made herein is made solely to expedite prosecution. Applicants reserve the right to prosecute Groups and/or Species not elected herein in other patent applications claiming the benefit of the filing date of this application.

Applicants enclose herewith a petition for a one month extension of time and the requisite fee. Applicants believe that no fees are due in connection with the filing of this Response. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge or credit to our Deposit Account, No. 50-0975, any fees due in connection with the filing of this Response.

If there are any questions regarding this Response, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at (314) 444-7783.

Respectfully submitted,  
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